PUBLIC COMMITTEES, BOARDS AND COUNCILS HANDBOOK

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INTRODUCTION

This Handbook provides information on the membership of public committees, boards and councils in the Northwest Territories, as appointed in whole or in part by the Legislative Assembly, the Executive Council, a Minister or the Commissioner, and is meant as an accessible directory of these boards.

The Handbook also provides information on some committees, boards and councils established by authorities other than the Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT), to which the GNWT either nominates members or delegates specific responsibilities.

The Handbook is published periodically by the Cabinet Secretariat, Department of Executive, Government of the Northwest Territories. The current revision was compiled in June 2005, using information solicited from Government departments and, in some cases, from the boards themselves.

Though accurate at the time of revision, board membership changes constantly as terms expire, members resign and vacant positions are filled. Inquiries concerning latest board membership should be directed to the information contact given for each board.

The authority under which each agency acts varies, and is specified for each listing, along with a description of its function, what category it is in, who appoints members, and who the agency reports to.

The following information pertains to boards over which the Government of the Northwest Territories has jurisdiction.

The categories into which a board may fall are:

- advisory,
- regulatory or complex, or
- complex regulated commercial.

All boards fall into the "advisory" category unless they have been otherwise classified by the Executive Council. Classification as other than "advisory" depends upon several factors. They are:

- complexities of judgment are present requiring special qualifications or technical expertise;
- decisions are made with limited precedent; and
- consequences of decisions are large in dollars, resources or human terms

Honorariums are paid to members based on classification.

All GNWT public boards are subject to the provisions contained in the *Financial Administration Act* and the Government of the Northwest Territories Financial Administration Manual.

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ABORIGINAL LANGUAGES REVITALIZATION BOARD

Function: The Aboriginal Languages Revitalization Board will be established to advise and make recommendations to the Minister with respect to any matter within its review. Its focus is on revitalization, promotion and maintenance.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Official Languages Act*

Appointed by: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories on the recommendation of the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment and on the nomination of representatives of each of the Chipewyan, Cree, English, French, Gwich'in, Inuinnaqtun, Inuktitut, Inuvialuktun, North Slavey, South Slavey and Tlicho language communities.

Reports to: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Mary Rose Sunberg (Tlicho)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
Members:		
• Lucy Jackson (North Slavey)	15 Oct 04	15 Oct 06
• Beverly Amos (Inuvialuktun/Inuinnaqtun)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Alestine Andre (Gwich'in)	08 Oct 04	08 Oct 06
• Violet Sanguez (South Slavey)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Lena Pedersen (Inuktitut)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Vance Sanderson (Cree)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Elizabeth (Sabet) Biscaye	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06

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ABORIGINAL RIGHTS COURTS CHALLENGES COMMITTEE

Function: The Aboriginal Rights Courts Challenges Committee was established by the Minister of Justice to advise the Minister on applications for grants to pay legal expenses for individuals or non-profit organizations seeking, through the court process, to define or protect aboriginal, treaty or other rights that pertain to the Aboriginal peoples of the Northwest Territories.

Category: Complex

Authority: Falls within the general law reform responsibilities of the Department of Justice

Appointed by: Minister of Justice

Reports to: Minister of Justice

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Sue Heron-Herbert (Yellowknife)		Indeterminate
Member:		
• Florence Barnaby (Fort Good Hope)		Indeterminate
• Janis Cooper (Yellowknife)		Indeterminate

For information, contact:

Deputy Minister
Department of Justice
Government of the Northwest Territories
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AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS MARKETING COUNCIL

Function: The Council represents the government's interests with respect to federal/provincial/territorial obligations to the regulated orderly marketing system of various agricultural products in Canada.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Agricultural Products Marketing Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

Reports to: Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Doug Doan (Yellowknife)	15 Mar 03	01 Apr 06
Members:		
• Lloyd Jones (Fort Smith)	15 Mar 03	01 Apr 06
• Jim Kennedy (Yellowknife)	15 Mar 03	01 Apr 06
• Otto Olah (Yellowknife)	15 Mar 03	01 Apr 06

For information, contact:

Chairperson
Agricultural Products Marketing Council
c/o Government of the Northwest Territories
Department of Industry, Tourism and Investment
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APPRENTICESHIP, TRADE AND OCCUPATIONS CERTIFICATION BOARD

Function: The Board advises the Minister on all matters pertaining to trade certification.

Category: Regulatory or Complex

Authority: *Apprenticeship, Trade and Occupations Certification Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

Reports to: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Jay Allen MacDonald (Fort Smith)	02 Apr 00	21 Jan 06
Members:		
• Joseph Leonardis (Yellowknife)	27 Sep 99	13 Nov 05
• Robert Hanna (Fort Smith)	07 Oct 99	13 Nov 05
• Hilary Jones (Yellowknife)	14 Nov 03	13 Nov 05

For information contact:

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ASSESSMENT APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Function: The Tribunal shall hear property assessment appeals made to it as a result of a decision from a municipal or territorial board of revision.

Category: Regulatory or Complex

Authority: *Property Assessment and Taxation Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

Reports to: Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Gerald Phillips (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 07
Members:		
• Lloyd Henderson (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 07
• Doris McCann (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 07
• Bob Doherty (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 07
• Gordon Campbell (Inuvik)	06 May 04	05 May 07
• Jim White (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 07
• Garth Erroll Malakoe (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 07
• James Appleton (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	21 Mar 07
Secretary:		
• Michael Gagnon (Yellowknife)	04 Jan 01	Indefinite

For information, contact:

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Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

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AURORA COLLEGE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Function: The Aurora College Board of Governors administers Aurora College and provides advice to the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment on policy matters.

Category: Regulatory or Complex

Authority: *Public Colleges Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

Reports to: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Dennis Bevington (Fort Smith)	01 Mar 05	01 Mar 08
Vice-Chairperson:		
• Vacant (in the midst of seeking nominations)		
Members:		
• Angus Lennie (Tulita)	01 Mar 05	28 Feb 08
• Ernest Pokiak (Tuktoyaktuk)	01 Dec 00	30 Nov 06
• Jackson Lafferty (Yellowknife)	22 Jan 04	21 Jan 07
• Rosemary Gill (Fort Simpson)	11 Oct 02	10 Oct 05
• Yacub Adam (Yellowknife)	22 Jan 04	21 Jan 07
• Jan Lodge (Yellowknife)	28 Mar 03	30 Jun 05
• Lindsey Payne (Yellowknife)	16 Dec 04	30 Sep 05

For information contact:

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Department of Education, Culture and Employment
Government of the Northwest Territories
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Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7552
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COMMISSIONER'S AWARDS COMMITTEE

Function: An awards system established in 1965 to recognize people who had distinguished themselves by acts of bravery or exceptional deeds of public service. The Awards Committee considers nominations for the awards and recommends recipients of awards to the Commissioner.

Category: Advisory

Authority: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

Appointed by: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

Reports to: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• David Connelly (Yellowknife)	01 Apr 03	01 Apr 07
Members:		
• Annie Goose (Holman)	17 Apr 03	17 Apr 06

For information, contact:

Chair, Commissioner's Awards Committee
P.O. Box 2400
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P8

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DENTAL REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

Function: The Committee reviews and decides upon applications from persons who wish to practise dentistry in the Northwest Territories.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Dental Profession Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Dr. Hassan Mohammed Adam (Yellowknife)	26 May 03	25 May 05
Members:		
• Dr. James Tennant (Hay River)	02 Jun 05	02 May 07
• Dr. Roger Armstrong	16 Feb 04	15 Feb 06
• Jeannette Hall (Yellowknife)*	20 Dec 99	Indefinite

*by virtue of the office

For information, contact:

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Department of Health and Social Services
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JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Function: Under s. 5.3(7) and (8) of the *Territorial Court Act*, the Committee's function is to make recommendations to the Commissioner in Executive Council respecting the appointment of territorial judges. In performing its duties, the Committee shall advertise the vacancy and review all applications, conducting that process in accordance with criteria established by the Committee; assess the qualifications of the candidates; and in confidence give the Commissioner in Executive Council a ranked list of the candidates it recommends with brief supporting reasons. Similarly, under s.6 of the Act, the Committee makes recommendations to the Commissioner with respect to deputy territorial judges.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Territorial Court Act*

Appointed by: The *Territorial Court Act* provides for the composition of the Committee as follows:

(a) the Chief Judge and the next most senior territorial judge;
(b) two members of the Law Society of the Northwest Territories appointed by that body;
(c) four persons appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council who are neither judges nor members or former members of a law society in Canada; and
(d) where the Chief Judge decides not to serve as a member of the Advisory Committee under paragraph (1)(a), the Chief Judge shall designate another Territorial judge as a member of the Advisory Committee.

Reports to: Commissioner in Executive Council with respect to appointment of territorial judges (s.5.3) and the Commissioner with respect to appointment of deputy territorial judges (s.6).

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairpersons:		
• The Honourable Brian Bruser, Chief Judge	*ex officio	
• The Honourable Bernadette Schmaltz	*ex officio	
Members:		
• Lynn Brooks (Yellowknife)	04 Mar 05	03 Mar 08
• Blair Dunbar (Yellowknife)	12 Sep 02	11 Sep 05
• Rose Lamouelle (Rae)	12 Sep 02	11 Sep 05
• Kathryn Vennard (appointed by NWT Law Society)	28 Feb 05	27 Feb 08
• Garth Malakoe (appointed by NWT Law Society)	28 Feb 05	27 Feb 08

*by virtue of the office

For information, contact:

Chief Judge of the Territorial Court
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JUDICIAL COUNCIL FOR TERRITORIAL JUDGES

Function: The functions of the Council are to receive and investigate any complaint made against a territorial court judge. The Council may refer any complaint to the Chief Judge or to a mediator. The Council may decide to hold a formal hearing, and has the powers of a board of inquiry under the *Public Inquiries Act*. Any such hearing is open to the public unless there are exceptional circumstances. After a hearing, the Council may impose a warning, a reprimand or suspension with or without pay, or may recommend removal from office.

Category: Complex

Authority: *Territorial Court Act*

Appointed by: Section 31 (1) of the *Territorial Court Act* provides for the composition of the Council as follows:

(a) a judge of the Court of Appeal designated by the Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal;
(b) the senior judge of the Supreme Court;
(c) the Chief Judge;
(d) a member of the Law Society of the Northwest Territories appointed by that body; and
(e) two persons appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council who are neither judges nor members or former members of a law society in Canada.

Reports to: Commissioner in Executive Council

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• The Hon. Mr. Justice J. E. Richard, Senior Judge	*ex officio	
Members:		
• The Hon. Justice, Court of Appeal	19 Feb 99	Indeterminate
• The Hon. Brian Bruser, Chief Judge	*ex officio	
• Danny Yakeleya (Tulita)	30 Oct 98	11 Dec 06
• Sue Heron-Herbert (Yellowknife) Alternate	30 Oct 98	11 Dec 06
• Shirley Lamalice (Hay River)	25 Apr 99	15 Sept 07
• Gerald Phillips (appointed by NWT Law Society)	27 Feb 04	31 Dec 06
• Bettylou McIlmoyle (appointed by NWT Law Society)	01 Jan 02	31 Dec 06

*by virtue of the office

For information, contact:

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JUSTICES OF THE PEACE REVIEW COUNCIL

Function: The Justices of the Peace Review Council reviews, hears and makes recommendations on complaints respecting justices of the peace.

Category: Complex

Authority: *Justices of the Peace Act*

Appointed by: The Review Council is composed of:
(a) the Chief Judge;
(b) a judge of the Territorial Court, other than the Chief Judge, appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council;
(c) a justice of the peace designated by the Commissioner in Executive Council;
(d) two representatives of the public, appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council.

Reports to: Commissioner in Executive Council and the Chief Judge

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• The Honourable Mr. Brian Bruser, Chief Judge	*ex officio	
Members:		
• Shirley Lamalice (Hay River)	22 Jun 04	21 Jun 08
• Thomas Ross Kirby (Inuvik)	22 Jun 04	21 Jun 08

*by virtue of the office

For information, contact:

Chief Judge of the Territorial Court
Justices of the Peace Review Council
P.O. Box 550
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4

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LABOUR STANDARDS BOARD OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Function: The Labour Standards Board was established to act as a statutory tribunal to review rulings of the Labour Standards Officer, to make decisions with respect to the confirmation of those rulings and to enforce payment of confirmed certificates setting forth wages due to employees.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Labour Standards Act*

Appointed by: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories
(pursuant to s. 44 of the *Labour Standards Act*)

Reports to: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment through the office of the Deputy Minister

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Gerry Loomis (Norman Wells)	01 Nov 96	31 Oct 06
Members:		
• Gerry Loomis (Norman Wells)	11 Nov 96	31 Oct 06
• Louis Sebert (Fort Smith)	01 Nov 96	31 Oct 06
• Doris McCann (Yellowknife)	05 Jan 01	04 Jan 06
• Richard Daitch (Fort Smith)	31 Aug 03	30 Aug 08
• Brian Desjardins (Yellowknife)	07 Oct 04	06 Dec 09

For information, contact:

Executive Assistant
Labour Standards Board
P.O. Box 2804
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R1

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LEGAL SERVICES BOARD OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Function: The Legal Services Board is responsible for the provision of legal services to all eligible persons. The Board also develops and coordinates territorial and local programs aimed at reducing and preventing the occurrence of legal problems, and increasing knowledge of the law, legal process and the administration of justice.

Category: Complex

Authority: *Legal Services Act*

Appointed by: Under the *Legal Services Act*, members of the Board are appointed by the Minister of Justice as follows:

(a) one lawyer appointed on the nomination of the President of Law Society;
(b) one member of the public service;
(c) one member who is not a member of the Law Society or the public service;
(d) one member appointed on the nomination of each regional committee; and
(e) such additional members as the Minister considers necessary.

Reports to: Minister of Justice

	Appointed	Term Expires
Members:		
• Reg Tolton (Yellowknife)	24 Feb 01	31 Aug 07
• Danny Beaulieu (Ft. Resolution)	01 Sep 98	31 Aug 07
• Shirley Kisoun (Inuvik)	10 Aug 01	26 Aug 07
• Margaret McKenzie (Yellowknife)	10 Aug 01	26 Aug 07
• Sheila MacPherson (Yellowknife)	05 Mar 03	04 Mar 06
• Gilbert Thrasher (Paulatuk)	14 Mar 03	13 Mar 06
• Karen Hoeft (Yellowknife)	11 Jun 03	10 Jun 06
• Judi Tutcho (Norman Wells)	11 Jun 03	10 Jun 06
• John Hazenberg (Fort Simpson)	15 Apr 05	14 Apr 08

For information, contact:

Executive Director
Legal Services Board of the Northwest Territories
Department of Justice
Government of the Northwest Territories
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Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

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LIQUOR LICENSING BOARD

Function: The Liquor Licensing Board was established to control the conduct of licensees, the management and equipment of licensed premises and the conditions under which liquor may be sold or consumed.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Liquor Act*

Appointed by: Minister Responsible for the *Department of Finance*

Reports to: The Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories through the Minister responsible.

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Don Kindt	05 May 04	04 May 06
Members:		
• Albert Monchuk (Fort Smith)	21 Jul 01	20 Jul 05
• Wayne Frederick Smith (Inuvik)	29 Sep 03	28 Sep 05
• Stanley Jones (Hay River)	18 Aug 04	17 Aug 06
• Sherry Hodgson (Norman Wells)	18 Oct 04	17 Oct 06
• Lorna Skinner (Yellowknife)	25 Nov 04	24 Nov 06
Executive Secretary:		
• Delilah St. Arneault (Hay River)		

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Liquor Licensing Board
Government of the Northwest Territories
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Hay River, NT X0E 1G2

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

Function: The Committee reviews and decides upon applications from persons who wish to practise medicine in the Northwest Territories.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Medical Profession Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Dr. Theresa Hansen (Yellowknife)	29 Jun 03	28 Jun 07
Members:		
• Dr. Nicole Chatel (Yellowknife) (alternate)	27 Jan 03	06 Jan 07
• Patricia Susan Winter (Yellowknife)	20 Feb 04	19 Feb 06
• Diana Denroche (Yellowknife)	15 Mar 04	14 Mar 06
• Dr. Theresa Farrel (Yellowknife)	07 Jun 05	06 Jun 07
• Dr. Amy Hendricks (Yellowknife)	10 Nov 04	09 Nov 06
• Jeannette Hall, Registrar (Yellowknife)*	20 Dec 99	Indefinite

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For information, contact:

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MINE OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Function: Established under the *Mine Health and Safety Act* to advise and recommend to the Minister: matters concerning the *Mine Health and Safety Act* and regulations; matters concerning the occupational health and safety of persons working in or about a mine; and any matter concerning the occupational health and safety of persons working in a mine that is referred to it by the Minister from time to time.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Mine Health and Safety Act*

Appointed by: Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board

Reports to: Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Rotates among the members		
Members:		
• Michael Cooper, Diavik Mine (Owner Representative)	10 Mar 05	09 Mar 07
• Allan Kaltwasser, Yellowknife (Worker Representative)	10 Mar 05	09 Mar 07
• Dave Power, Yellowknife (Owner Representative)	10 Mar 05	09 Mar 07
• Greg Spoonheim, Ekati Mine (Owner Representative)	10 Mar 05	09 Mar 07
• Patrick Tymchatyn, Yellowknife (Worker Representative)	10 Mar 05	09 Mar 07

For information contact:

Chief Inspector of Mines
Workers' Compensation Board
P.O. Box 8888
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4408
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NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION TRUST FUND
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Function: The purpose of the fund is to promote through education, research and demonstration, the wise use of renewable resources; awareness, enhancement and protection of the environment; and use of the most efficient and most effective methods of trapping wildlife.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Natural Resources Conservation Trust Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

Reports to: Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

	Appointed	Term Expires
Members:		
• John Stephenson	15 Apr 04	14 Apr 07
• Doug Stewart	15 Apr 04	14 Apr 07
• Lloyd Jones	15 Apr 04	14 Apr 07

For information, contact:

Deputy Minister
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

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NORTHWEST TERRITORIES ARTS COUNCIL

Function: The NWT Arts Council provides recommendations to the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment on financial awards for creative artistic projects in the visual, literary and performing arts, and on issues and policies associated with the arts and artists.

Category: Advisory

Authority: NWT Arts Council Policy

Appointed by: Executive Council

Reports to: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Vacant		
Members:		
• No members appointed to date		

For information contact:

Manager, Community Programs
Department of Education, Culture and Employment
Government of the Northwest Territories
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6370
Fax: (867) 873-0205

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTMENT CORPORATION BOARD

Function: The Northwest Territories• Business Development and Investment Corporation Board is responsible for directing the operations of the Northwest Territories Business Development and Investment Corporation (BDIC). The BDIC was established to develop and deliver GNWT business assistance programming to businesses in the Northwest Territories, as well as operate selected subsidiaries for employment creation purposes.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Northwest Territories Business Development and Investment Corporation Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

Reports to: Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Darrell K. Beaulieu (North Slave/Akaitcho)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 08
Directors:		
• Charles B. Furlong (Gwich'in)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 07
• Albert J. Lafferty (Deh Cho)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 08
• Denise C. Yuhas (South Slave)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 07
• Janet-Marie Fizer (South Slave)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 08
• Darrell K. Beaulieu (North Slave/Akaitcho)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 08
• Ann Marie Tout (Sahtu)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 08
• Ernie Smith (Tli Cho)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 07
• Eddie T. Dillon (Inuvialuit)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 07
• Peggy L. Near (North Slave)	01 Apr 05	01 Apr 08

For information, contact:

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Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

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Fax: (867) 766-7701

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES EGG PRODUCERS BOARD

Function: The Board is responsible for administering the industry's implementation of the regulated egg marketing system in the NWT. Included in these responsibilities is the allocation of quota, collection and remission of levies and representation on the Board of Directors of the Canadian Egg Marketing Agency (CEMA).

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Agricultural Products Marketing Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

Reports to: Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Andrew Butler (Hay River)	17 Mar 03	01 Apr 06
Members:		
• Bruce Ramage (Hay River)	17 Mar 03	01 Apr 06
• Roy Fabian (Hay River)	17 Mar 03	01 Apr 06

For information contact:

Chairperson
NWT Egg Producers Board
Suite 2- 4 Courtoreille
Hay River, NT XOE 1G2

Telephone: (867) 874-6820
Fax: (867) 874-6840

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES JUDICIAL REMUNERATION COMMISSION

Function: Under sections 12.1-12.95 of the *Territorial Court Act*, the Commission's function is to conduct an inquiry with respect to the salaries paid to territorial judges and the pension, vacation leave, sick leave and other benefits provided to territorial judges. After the inquiry, the Commission will prepare a report with recommendations for the Minister of Justice.

Category: Advisory/Regulatory

Authority: *Territorial Court Act*

Appointed by: Section 12.1(2) of the *Territorial Court Act* provides that the Commissioner in Executive Council shall appoint three members to the Commission as follows:

(a) one member nominated by the Minister of Justice;
(b) one member nominated by the Chief Judge, in consultation with the Territorial Court Judges' Association;
(c) one member nominated by the members appointed in (a) and (b) above.

Reports to: Minister of Justice

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• John Simpson (Yellowknife)	29 Jun 03	28 Jun 06
Members:		
• David A. McPherson (Yellowknife)	23 Jan 03	22 Jan 06
• James Robertson (Yellowknife)	23 Jan 03	22 Jan 06

For information, contact:

Chairperson
Northwest Territories Judicial Remuneration Commission
5075 Finlayson Drive
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3C9

Telephone: (867) 669-7679

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES POWER CORPORATION BOARD

Function: The objectives of the NWT Power Corporation are to generate, transform, transmit distribute, deliver, and sell and supply energy, which is defined to include electricity, heat through district heating systems, and gas through pipeline systems. It may also supply water and sewage services and undertake any other activity authorized by the Executive Council. The NWT Power Corporation supplies electricity to 28 communities in the Northwest Territories.

Category: Chairperson - Complex Regulated Commercial
Directors – Regulatory or Complex

Authority: *NWT Power Corporation Act*

Appointed by: Minister Responsible for NWT Power Corporation.

Reports to: Minister Responsible for NWT Power Corporation

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chair:		
• Richard Nerysoo (Inuvik)	22 Nov 02	21 Nov 06
Vice-Chairperson and Member:		
• Peter Allen (Yellowknife)	22 Nov 02	21 Nov 06
Members:		
• Leon Cournoyea (Hay River)	23 Nov 04	21 Nov 05
• Louis Andrew Sebert (Fort Smith)	22 Nov 02	21 Nov 06
• Peter Wilfred Guther (Norman Wells)	22 Nov 02	21 Nov 06
• Marion Lavigne (Yellowknife)	22 Nov 02	21 Nov 06
• Gladys Norwegian (Hay River)	01 Mar 05	28 Feb 06

For information, contact:

Corporate Secretary
NWT Power Corporation
#704, 5201-50th Ave, Northwest Tower
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 669-3390
Fax: (867) 669-3395

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES SOCIAL ASSISTANCE APPEAL BOARD

Function: The Social Assistance Appeal Board was established to hear appeals arising from findings of appeal committees.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Social Assistance Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

Reports to: No reporting relationship

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Blair Barbour (Yellowknife)	06 Jun 02	05 Jun 04
Vice-Chairperson:		
• David Connelly (Yellowknife)	25 Jan 02	05 Jun 04
Members:		
• Linda Melander-Gross (Yellowknife)	03 Jun 04	02 Jun 06
• Jim Nelson (Yellowknife)	31 Oct 02	30 Oct 06
• Jim White (Yellowknife)	03 Jun 04	02 Jun 06
• Tony Schofield (Fort Smith)	03 Jun 04	02 Jun 06
• Jane Weyallon (Rae)	05 Mar 05	04 Mar 07

For information, contact:

Director, Income Support
Department of Education, Culture and Employment
Government of the Northwest Territories
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-8921
Fax: (867) 873-0443

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES BOARD

Function: The Official Languages Board is established to advise and make recommendations to the Minister with respect to any matter within its review. Its focus is on services.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Official Languages Act*

Appointed by: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories on the recommendation of the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment and on the nomination of representatives of each of the Chipewyan, Cree, English, French, Gwich'in, Inuinnaqtun, Inuktitut, Inuvialuktun, North Slavey, South Slavey and Tlicho language communities.

Reports to: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Elizabeth (Sabet) Biscaye	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
Members:		
• Lucy Jackson (North Slavey)	15 Oct 04	15 Oct 06
• Beverly Amos (Inuvialuktun/Inuinnaqtun)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Alestine Andre (Gwich'in)	08 Oct 04	08 Oct 06
• Shirley Lamalice (South Slavey)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Lena Pedersen (Inuktitut)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Fernand Denault (French)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Steve Pedersen (English)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06
• Phillip Rabesca (Tlicho)	05 Oct 04	04 Oct 06
• Vance Sanderson (Cree)	05 Oct 04	05 Oct 06

For information, contact:

Assistant Deputy Minister, Education and Culture Branch
Department of Education, Culture and Employment
Government of the Northwest Territories
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-8061
Fax: (867) 873-0155

PUBLIC RECORDS COMMITTEE

Function: The Committee advises the Commissioner on all aspects of the administration of government records and approves the destruction of public records not transferred to the Northwest Territories Archives.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Archives Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

Reports to: Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Richard Valpy (Yellowknife)	*ex officio	
Members:		
• Karen Ashbury (Yellowknife)	6 Aug 02	Indefinite
• Gerry Karasevich (Yellowknife)	20 Feb 02	Indefinite
• Bob Shahi (Yellowknife)	May 05	Indefinite
• Steve Hagerman (Yellowknife)	*ex officio	

For information, contact:

Territorial Archivist
NWT Archives
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7657
Fax: (867) 873-0205

PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Function: The Public Utilities Board regulates the energy utilities under its jurisdiction by reviewing the affairs, earnings and accounts of each public utility.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Public Utilities Act*

Appointed by: Minister Responsible for the Public Utilities Board, on the recommendation of Executive Council

Reports to: Minister Responsible for the Public Utilities Board

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• John Hill (Devon, Alberta)	01 Apr 05	31 Mar 06
Members:		
• Gene Nikiforuk (Inuvik)	01 Apr 05	31 Mar 06
• Gabrielle Decorby (Yellowknife)	18 Dec 03	17 Dec 05
• Joe Acorn (Yellowknife)	11 Feb 05	10 Feb 07
• William Koe (Fort McPherson)	01 Apr 05	31 Mar 07
Secretary:		
• Louise-Ann Celine Larocque (Hay River)	1 May 98	Indefinite

For information contact:

Chairperson
Public Utilities Board
203-62 Woodland Drive, P.O. Box 4211
Hay River, NT XOE 1G1

Telephone: (867) 874-3944
Fax: (867) 874-3639
Website: www.nwtpublicutilitiesboard.ca

SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Function: The Safety Advisory Committee shall make recommendations respecting such amendments to this Act and the Regulations as may be required or desirable in the interests of occupational health and safety.

Category: Advisory

Authority: Section 26, *Safety Act*

Appointed by: Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board

Reports to: Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Chief Safety Officer	Indefinite	Indefinite
Members:		
• Jerome Babyn (Yellowknife)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06
• Mary Lou Cherwaty (Yellowknife)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06
• Scott Duncan (Edmonton)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06
• Todd Johnson (Arviat)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06
• Peter Kaunak (Iqaluit)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06
• Cody Kenneally (Iqaluit)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06
• Randy White (Edmonton)	17 Sep 04	16 Sep 06

Note: The Committee is cross-appointed in Nunavut. The dates of appointment and expiration are slightly different.

For information, contact:

Chief Safety Officer
Workers' Compensation Board
P.O. Box 8888
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4403
Fax: (867) 873-0262

STATUS OF WOMEN COUNCIL OF THE NWT

Function: The objectives of the Council are to:

(a) develop public awareness of issues affecting the status of women;
(b) promote a change in attitudes within the community in order that women may enjoy equality of opportunity;
(c) encourage discussion and expression of opinion by residents of the Northwest Territories on issues affecting the status of women;
(d) advise the Minister of issues that the Minister may refer to the Council for consideration;
(e) review policies and legislation affecting women and to report its findings to relevant government departments or agencies;
(f) provide assistance to the Minister in promoting changes to ensure the attainment of equality of women;
(g) provide the appropriate assistance to organizations and groups whose objectives promote the equality of women.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Status of Women Council Act*

Appointed by: Minister Responsible for the Status of Women

Reports to: The Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories through the Minister Responsible for the Status of Women

	Appointed	Term Expires
Members:		
• Lynn Brooks (Yellowknife)	16 Aug 04	31 Jul 07
• Lorayne Menicoche-Moses (Fort Simpson)	16 Aug 04	31 Jul 07
• Betty Tsetso (Deline)	01 Aug 02	31 Jul 05
• Therese Dolly Lafferty (Fort Resolution)	01 Aug 02	31 Jul 05
• Geraldine Sharpe-Staples (Inuvik)	16 Aug 04	31 Jul 07
• Patricia Lamouelle (Rae-Edzo)	16 Aug 04	31 Jul 07

For information, contact:

Executive Director
Status of Women Council of the Northwest Territories
Tapwe Building
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6177
Fax: (867) 873-0285
E-mail: council@statusofwomen.nt.ca

STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPEAL BOARD

Function: The Student Financial Assistance Appeal Board was established to hear appeals arising from the administrative review of decisions regarding student financial assistance.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *Student Financial Assistance Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

Reports to: No reporting relationship.

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Blair Barbour (Yellowknife)	6 Feb 04	5 Feb 06
Members:		
• David Hurley (Yellowknife)	25 Jan 02	24 Jan 06
• Sheryl Walker (Yellowknife)	25 Jan 02	24 Jan 06
• Corinne Paul (Yellowknife)	6 Feb 04	5 Feb 06
• Darren Horn (Yellowknife/student representative)	6 Feb 04	5 Feb 06

For information, contact:

Manager, Student Financial Assistance
Department of Education, Culture and Employment
Government of the Northwest Territories
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7194
Fax: (867) 873-0336

TERRITORIAL BOARD OF REVISION

Function: The Territorial Board of Revision shall hear property assessment complaints made to it as a result of an assessment made by the Director of Assessment.

Category: Regulatory or Complex

Authority: *Property Assessment and Taxation Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

Reports to: Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• David Timothy McCann (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 06
Members:		
• Tom Forbes (Yellowknife)	06 May 04	05 May 06
• Clarence Wood (Inuvik)	06 May 04	05 May 06
• Linda Cockney (Inuvik)	12 Oct 04	11 Oct 05
Secretary:		
• Michael Gagnon (Yellowknife)	4 Jan 01	Indefinite

For information, contact:

Manager of Property Assessment
Department of Municipal and Community Affairs
Government of the Northwest Territories
Suite 500, 5201-50Ave.
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 873-7125
Fax: (867) 873-0152

VICTIMS ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE

Function: The Committee advises the Minister of Justice on policies for the provision of services for victims of crime and makes recommendations on the distribution of the Victims Assistance Fund.

Category: Advisory

Authority: *Victims of Crime Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Justice

Reports to: Minister of Justice

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Vacant		
Members:		
• Nora Wedzin-Quitte (Rae-Edzo)	1 Aug 02	31 Jul 05

For information, contact:

Victims Co-ordinator
Community Justice Division
Department of Justice
Government of the Northwest Territories
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6911 (collect)
Fax: (867) 873-0199

WASTE REDUCTION AND RECOVERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Function: The purpose of the Waste Reduction and Recovery Advisory Committee is to advise the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources on the establishment and operation of programs to ensure improved reduction and recovery of waste.

Authority: Section 2(2) of the *Waste Reduction and Recovery Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

Reports to: Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson		
• Raymond Massey (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
Members:		
• Joe Agrey (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Ron Courtoreille (Hay River)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Kristine Drader (Norman Wells)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Kevin O'Reilly (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Greg Rowe (Hay River)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Bruce Underhay (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Jack Walker (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Ben Walker (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite
• Bob Weaver (Yellowknife)	22 Mar 04	Indefinite

For information, contact:

Director
Environmental Protection
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Workers' Compensation Board
P.O. Box 8888
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4403
Fax: (867) 873-0262

WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD

Function: The Board was established to administer the *Workers' Compensation Act.*

Category: Complex

Authority: *Workers' Compensation Act* and Workers' Compensation Transition Agreement between the Governments of the Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

Appointed by: The Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board in conjunction with the Nunavut Minister.

Reports to: The Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories through the Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Vacant		
Members:		
• William Aho (Yellowknife)	01 May 04	30 Apr 06
• Shona Barkley (Iqaluit)	31 May 04	30 May 06
• George Kuksuk (Arviat)	31 Ma 04	30 May 07
• Karin MacDonald (Inuvik)	15 Oct 04	15 Oct 07
• Steve Petersen (Yellowknife)	01 May 03	30 Apr 06
• Denny Rogers (Inuvik)	01 May 03	30 Apr 06

For information, contact:

Executive Administrator
Workers' Compensation Board
P.O. Box 8888
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4434
Fax: (867) 920-3894

WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD APPEALS TRIBUNAL

Function: The Appeals Tribunal is the final level of the appeal process and hears appeals from a decision of a Workers' Compensation Board review committee. A decision of the Appeals Tribunal on an appeal may not be questioned or reviewed in any court.

Category: Complex

Authority: *Workers' Compensation Act* and Workers' Compensation Transition Agreement between the Governments of the Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

Appointed by: The Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board appoints to the Appeals Tribunal one member from among the members of the Workers' Compensation Board, two members on the recommendation of representatives of workers, and two members on the recommendation of representatives of employers

Reports to: Minister Responsible for the Workers' Compensation Board in consultation with the Nunavut Minister.

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Debra Simpson (Yellowknife)	05 Dec 01	04 Mar 07
Members:		
• Blake Lyons (Yellowknife)	26 Jul 99	17 Jan 06
• Marja Babic (Yellowknife)	05 Dec 01	04 Mar 07
• Craig Scott (Norman Wells)	01 Mar 05	28 Feb 07
• Trent Fequet (Tli Cho Logistics)	10 Jan 05	09 Jan 07

For information, contact:

Senior Appeals Registrar
Workers' Compensation Board
P.O. Box 8888
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4420
Fax: (867) 669-4467

REGIONAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITIES

DEH CHO HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
(b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Allan Landry (Hay River)	24 Jul 98	At Pleasure
Members:		
• Betty Ann Minoza (Fort Providence)	01 Aug 02	31 Jul 05
• Marilyn Lomen (Trout Lake)	18 Dec 01	At Pleasure
• Margaret Ireland (Jean Marie River)	24 Jun 01	At Pleasure
• Peter Sabourin (Hay River Reserve)	22 Jan 04	21 Jan 07
• Julie Capot-Blanc (Fort Liard)	25 Oct 04	24 Oct 07
• Vacant (Wrigley)		
• Vacant (Nahanni Butte)		

For information, contact:

Chief Executive Officer
P.O. Box 246
Deh Cho Health and Social Services Authority
Fort Simpson, NT XOE ONO

Telephone: (867) 695-3815
Fax: (867) 695-2920

DOGRIB COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
(b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Alphonse Nitsiza	26 Feb 04	At Pleasure
Members:		
• Chief Archie Wetrade (Rae Lakes)	21 May 00	Indefinite
• Chief Joseph Judas (Snare Lakes)	09 Dec 99	Indefinite
• Chief Alfred Beaverho (Wha Ti)	09 Dec 99	Indefinite
• Chief Charlie Nitsiza (Rae--Edzo)	09 Dec 99	Indefinite
• Bernadette Rabesca-Apples (Rae Lakes)	24 May 02	Indefinite
• Chief Clifford Daniels (Rae-Edzo)	08 Jan 05	Indefinite
• David Wedawin (Gameti)	24 Feb 06	Indefinite
• Adeline Football (Wekweti)	24 Feb 06	Indefinite
• Joline Huskey (Rae Edzo)	24 Feb 06	Indefinite
• Mary Adele Football (Wekweti)	24 Feb 06	Indefinite
• Nora Doig (Rae Edzo)	24 Feb 06	Indefinite

For information, contact:

Chief Executive Officer
Dogrib Community Services Board
Bag 3
Rae Edzo, NT X0E 0Y0

Telephone: (867) 392-3003
Fax: (867) 392-3001

FORT SMITH HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and

(b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Brenda Johnson (Metis Nation Local 50)	26 Jun 01	Indefinite
Members:		
• Beatrice Campbell (Town of Fort Smith)	17 Nov 03	16 Nov 06
• Frieda Martselos (Salt River First Nation, Fort Smith)	27 Aug 03	26 Aug 06
• Greg Heron (Metis Nation Local 50, Fort Smith)	14 Jan 05	14 Jan 08
• Marion Berls (Town of Fort Smith)	22 Jan 04	23 Jul 06
• Pearl Bird (Metis)	15 Jan 05	14 Jan 08
• Barbara McArthur (Salt River)	15 Jan 05	14 Jan 08

For information contact:

Chief Executive Officer
Fort Smith Health and Social Services Authority
P.O. Box 1080
Fort Smith, NT XOE OPO

Telephone: (867) 872-6200
Fax: (867) 872-6291

HAY RIVER HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(c) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and

(d) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Mario Milovac (Hay River)	08 Nov 04	Indefinite
Members:		
• Shari Burnstad (Hay River)	07 Nov 03	06 Nov 06
• Lori Schumann (Hay River)	09 Aug 04	09 Aug 07
• Debra Ann Beck (Hay River)	09 Aug 04	09 Aug 07
• Joy Stewart (Hay River)	08 Nov 04	07 Nov 07
• Robert Halifax (Hay River)	03 Jan 04	06 Nov 05
• Mario Milovac (Hay River)	08 Nov 04	07 Nov 07
• Vince McKay (Hay River)	08 Sep 04	08 Sep 07

For information contact:

Chief Executive Officer
Hay River Health and Social Services Authority
#3 Gaetz Drive
Hay River, NT X0E 0R8

Telephone: (867) 874-7110
Fax: (867) 874-7109

INUVIK REGIONAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
(b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Evelyn Storr (Aklavik)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
Members:		
• Frank Pope (Town of Norman Wells)	27 May 04	26 May 07
• Arlene Hansen (Town of Inuvik)	01 Feb 03	31 Jan 06
• Eileen Koe (Fort McPherson)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
• Debbie Gordon-Ruben (Paulatuk)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
• Winnie Gruben (Tuktoyaktuk)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
• Sarah Kuptana (Holman)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
• Joanne Eldridge (Sachs Harbour)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
• Ruth Stewart (Aklavik)	07 Feb 05	06 Feb 08
• Vacant (Tsiigehtchic)		

For information, contact:

Chief Executive Officer
Inuvik Regional Health and Social Services Authority
Bag Service #2
Inuvik, NT XOE OTO

Telephone: (867) 777-8146
Fax: (867) 777-8062

SAHTU HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and

(b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

For information, contact:

Chief Executive Officer
P.O. Box 340
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Public Administrator
P.O. Box 340
Norman Wells, NT
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Telephone: (867) 587-3654
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STANTON TERRITORIAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(c) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
(d) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

For information, contact:

Chief Executive Officer
Stanton Territorial Health Authority
P.O. Box 10
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N5

Telephone: (867) 669-4224
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Public Administrator
Health and Social Services
P.O. Box 1320
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6173
Fax: (867) 873-0266

YELLOWKNIFE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

Function: Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

(a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
(b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

Category: Complex

Authority: *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Health and Social Services

Reports to: Minister of Health and Social Services

	Appointed	Term Expires
Chairperson:		
• Elizabeth Wyman (Yellowknife)	19 Apr 04	At Pleasure
Members:		
• Jan Stirling (Yellowknife)	09 Mar 04	08 Mar 07
• Leonie Erasmus (Yellowknife)	08 Mar 05	07 Mar 08
• Gino Pin (Yellowknife)	04 Sept 02	03 Sept 05
• Karen Hamre (Yeilowknife)	08 Mar 05	07 Mar 08
• Irene Fatte (Lutsel K'e Dene)	10 Mar 03	10 Mar 06
• Robert Sayine (Fort Resolution)	22 Jan 04	21 Jan 07
• Kevin McLeod (Yellowknife)	28 Jul 04	27 Jul 06

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OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Boards included in this section are not established by the Government of the Northwest Territories, but do have influence within the Territory and, in most cases, the Territorial Government may nominate members.

BEVERLY AND QAMANIRJUAQ CARIBOU MANAGEMENT BOARD

Function:	The Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board provides advice and recommendations to the governments of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Northwest Territories and Nunavut on matters concerned with the protection and management of these herds and their habitat.
Authority:	Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Barrengound Caribou Management Agreement
Appointed by:	Ministers of Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba
Reports to:	Ministers of Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba

For information, contact:

Secretary-Treasurer
Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board
P.O. Box 629
Stonewall, Manitoba
R0C 2Z0

Telephone: (204) 467-2438
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CANADIAN PORCUPINE CARIBOU MANAGEMENT BOARD

Function: The Canadian Porcupine Caribou Management Board provides advice and recommendations to the Ministers of Canada, Yukon and the Northwest Territories on matters relating to this caribou herd.

Authority: Porcupine Caribou Management Agreement

Appointed by: Eight voting members appointed by the Governments of Canada (to represent Canada); Yukon (to represent Yukon and Council for Yukon Indians); and Government of the Northwest Territories (to represent Government of the Northwest Territories, Gwich'in Renewable Resource Board and Inuvialuit Game Council).

Reports to: Ministers of Canada, Yukon, and Northwest Territories

For information, contact:

Porcupine Caribou Management Board
P.O. Box 31723
Whitehorse, YT
Y1A 6L3

Telephone: (867) 633-4780
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DEH CHO LAND USE PLANNING COMMITTEE

Function: The purpose of the Deh Cho Land Use Planning Committee is to develop a land use plan for the Deh Cho Region as defined by the Deh Cho Interim Measures Agreement. The Committee will be responsible for monitoring compliance with the land use plan upon final approval and implementation.

Authority: Deh Cho Interim Measures Agreement

Appointed by: Deh Cho First Nations, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, and Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Deh Cho First Nations, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, and Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

For information, contact:

Executive Director
Deh Cho Land Use Planning Committee
P.O. Box 199
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GWICH'IN ARBITRATION PANEL

Function: The Panel has the jurisdiction to arbitrate in respect of any matter which the agreement stipulates is to be determined by the arbitration and any matter concerning the interpretation or application of the agreement which the parties agree to be bound by an arbitration decision in accordance with the dispute resolution chapter.

Category: Quasi-Judicial

Authority: Gwich'in Final Agreement

Appointed by: Government of Canada, Government of the Northwest Territories and Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated

For information contact:

Claims Planning & Implementation
Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Room 1550, 25 Eddy Street
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0H4

Telephone: (819) 997-9666
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GWICH'IN LAND AND WATER BOARD

Function: The Gwich'in Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water by issuing, amending, renewing and suspending land use permits and water licences throughout the Gwich'in Settlement Area.

Authority: *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

For information, contact:

Executive Director
Gwich'in Land and Water Board
P.O. Box 2018
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-4954
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GWICH'IN LAND USE PLANNING BOARD

Function:	The purpose of the Board is to develop a land use plan for the settlement area and for reviewing and proposing approvals, exceptions and amendments to the Plan.
Authority:	Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*
Appointed by:	Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs
Reports to:	Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada, and Gwich'in Tribal Council

For information, contact:

Chairperson
Gwich'in Land Use Planning Board
P.O. Box 2478
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

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GWICH'IN RENEWABLE RESOURCES BOARD

Function:	The Gwich'in Renewable Resources Board is the main instrument of wildlife management in the settlement area and acts in the public interest. Wildlife are managed in accordance with the Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement and its objectives.
Authority:	Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement
Appointed by:	Governor in Council (Government of Canada), Executive Council (Government of the Northwest Territories)
Reports to:	Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada and Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

For information, contact:

Chairperson
Gwich'in Renewable Resources Board
P.O. Box 2240
Inuvik, NT XOE OTO

INTERNATIONAL PORCUPINE CARIBOU BOARD

Function: The International Porcupine Caribou Board administers the bilateral agreement between Canada and the United States and provides advice and recommendations to the Ministers of Canada, Yukon, Northwest Territories, Alaska and United States on matters relating to the protection and management of the Porcupine caribou herd.

Authority: International Agreement for the Conservation of the Porcupine Caribou Herd

Appointed by: Eight voting members appointed by the Governments of Canada (to represent Canada, Yukon, Government of the Northwest Territories and user groups); and United States (to represent the United States, Alaska and user groups)

Reports to: Governments of Canada and United States

For information, contact:

Canadian Wildlife Service
Environment Canada
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0H3

Telephone: (819) 997-1301
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INUVIALUIT ARBITRATION BOARD

Function: The Board has the jurisdiction to arbitrate in respect of any matter which the agreement stipulates is to be determined by arbitration and any matter concerning the interpretation or application of the agreement which the parties agree to be bound by an arbitration decision in accordance with the dispute resolution chapter.

Authority: Inuvialuit Final Agreement

Appointed by: Canada appoints five members, the Inuvialuit Regional Corporation and Industry each appoint three members. Of the three other members appointed by Canada, the Government of the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territorial Government shall each designate one.

For information contact:

Claims Planning & Implementation
Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Room 1550, 25 Eddy Street
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0H4

Telephone: (819) 997-9666
Fax: (819) 994-5967

INUVIALUIT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REVIEW BOARD

Function: The Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Review Board conducts public reviews of development proposals referred to it by the Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Screening Committee and advises the appropriate government authority as to whether proposed developments should proceed and under what conditions. Where projects are found to affect wildlife harvesting, the Board provides an estimate of the potential liability to the developer.

Authority: Inuvialuit Final Agreement (1984)

Appointed by: The Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada and the Inuvialuit Game Council

Reports to: Ministers of Canada, Yukon and the Northwest Territories

For information, contact:

Environmental Impact Review Board
P.O. Box 2120
Inuvik, NT XOE OTO

Telephone: (867) 777-2828
Fax: (867) 777-2610

INUVIALUIT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT SCREENING COMMITTEE

Function:	The Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Screening Committee examines all development proposals in the Inuvialuit Settlement Region to determine whether they contain sufficient information to make an assessment, and whether they might have significant negative environmental impact, or potential impact, on present or future harvesting. Proposals considered to pose significant environmental impact are referred to the Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Review Board for public review.
Authority:	Inuvialuit Final Agreement (1984)
Appointed by:	The Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada and the Inuvialuit Game Council
Reports to:	Ministers of Canada, Yukon and the Northwest Territories

For information, contact:

Environmental Impact Screening Committee
P.O. Box 2120
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-2828
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INUVIALUIT GAME COUNCIL

Function:	The Council shall represent the collective Inuvialuit interest in wildlife.
Category:	Advisory
Authority:	Inuvialuit Final Agreement (1984)
Appointed by:	Inuvialuit Hunters and Trappers Committees

For information, contact:

Inuvialuit Game Council
P.O. Box 2120
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

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MACKENZIE RIVER BASIN BOARD

Function: The Mackenzie River Basin Board provides a forum for communication, coordination, information exchange, notification and consultation on matters that concern the ecological integrity of the aquatic ecosystem of the Mackenzie River Basin. The Board is also responsible for identifying, recommending and implementing such studies, investigations, programs and activities as are required to ensure the cooperative management of the aquatic ecosystem.

Authority: Mackenzie River Basin Transboundary Waters Master Agreement

Appointed by: Ministers of Northwest Territories, Yukon, British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Canada

Reports to: Ministers of Northwest Territories, Yukon, British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Canada

For information, contact:

Jack Van Camp, Executive Director
Mackenzie River Basin Board Secretariat
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Telephone: (867) 872-2375
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MACKENZIE VALLEY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REVIEW BOARD

Function: The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (MVEIRB) is responsible for conducting environmental assessments of developments that are referred to it. Through the environmental assessment process, the MVEIRB may recommend ways to protect the socio-economic and natural environments from impacts caused by a development.

Authority: *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

For information, contact:

Executive Director
Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board
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Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N7

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MACKENZIE VALLEY LAND AND WATER BOARD

Function: The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water by issuing, amending, renewing and suspending land use permits and water licenses in all areas of the NWT outside the Inuvialuit, Gwich'in and Sahtu land claim settlement regions. It also issues land and water permits in the Gwich'in and Sahtu settlement regions for developments that are transboundary in nature. The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board is also responsible for regulating the use of land and water for any development that will have impact in a region with no land claim settlement.

Authority: *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

For information, contact:

Executive Director
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Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P6

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NORTHWEST TERRITORIES WATER BOARD

Function: The Board is responsible for regulating the use of water and the deposit of waste into water in the Inuvialuit Settlement Region.

Category: Regulatory

Authority: *NWT Waters Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

For information, contact:

NWT Water Board
P.O. Box 1326
P.O. Box 1326
4916-47 Street
2nd Floor, Goga Cho Building
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N9

Telephone: (867) 765-0106
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SAHTU ARBITRATION PANEL

Function:	The Panel has the jurisdiction to arbitrate in respect of any matter which the agreement stipulates is to be determined by arbitration and any matter concerning the interpretation or application of the agreement which the parties agree to be bound by an arbitration decision in accordance with the dispute resolution chapter.
Category:	Quasi-Judicial
Authority:	Sahtu Final Agreement
Appointed by:	Government of Canada, Government of the Northwest Territories and Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated

For information, contact:

Claims Planning & Implementation
Indian & Northern Affairs Canada
Room 1550, 25 Eddy Street
Ottawa, Ontario
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Telephone: (819) 997-9666
Fax: (819) 994-5967

SAHTU LAND AND WATER BOARD

Function: The Sahtu Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water throughout the settlement area, including Sahtu lands.

Authority: *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

Appointed by: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

For information, contact:

Executive Director
Sahtu Land and Water Board
P.O. Box 1
Fort Good Hope, NT XOE 0H0

Telephone: (867) 598-2413
Fax: (867) 598-2325

SAHTU LAND USE PLANNING BOARD

Function: The purpose of the Sahtu Land Use Planning Board is to develop a land use plan for the settlement areas and for reviewing and proposing approvals, exceptions and amendments to the plan.

Authority: Sahtu Dene and Metis Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement
Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act

Appointed by: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

Reports to: Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada, the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources and the Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated

For information, contact:

Chairperson
Sahtu Land Use Planning Board
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SAHTU RENEWABLE RESOURCE BOARD

Function:	The Sahtu Renewable Resource Board is the main instrument of wildlife management in the settlement area and shall act in the public interest. Wildlife are managed in accordance with the Sahtu Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement and its objectives.
Authority:	Sahtu Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement
Appointed by:	Governor in Council (Government of Canada), Executive Council (Government of the Northwest Territories)
Reports to:	Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada and the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

For information, contact:

Chairperson
Sahtu Renewable Resources Board
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WEK'EEZHII LAND AND WATER BOARD

Function:	The Wek'eezhii Land and Water Board will regulate the use of land and water by issuing, amending, renewing and suspending land use permits and water licences throughout the Wek'eezhii Settlement Area.
Authority:	*Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*
Appointed by:	The Tlicho Government and the Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Reports to:	The Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

	Appointed	Term Expires

The Wek'eezhii Land and Water Board will be established following the Effective Date of the Tlicho Comprehensive Land Claim and Self-Government Agreement. Until such time, an interim Wek'eezhii Land and Water Working Group has been established.

For information, contact:

Coordinator
Wek'eezhii Land and Water Working Group
Dogrib Treaty 11 Council

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WEK'EEZHII RENEWABLE RESOURCE BOARD

Function:	The Wek'eezhii Renewable Resource Board is the main instrument of wildlife management in the settlement area and shall act in the public interest. Wildlife are managed in accordance with the Tlicho Land Claim and Self-Government Agreement and its objectives.
Authority:	The Tlicho Comprehensive Land Claim and Self-Government Agreement
Appointed by:	The Tlicho Government, the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources and the Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Reports to:	Ministers of Canada, the Northwest Territories and the Tlicho Government

	Appointed	**Term Expires**

The Wek'eezhii Renewable Resource Board will be established following the Effective Date of the Tlicho Comprehensive Land Claim and Self-Government Agreement. Until such time, an interim Wek'eezhii Renewable Resource Working Group has been established.

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Dogrib Treaty 11 Council

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WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (NWT)

Function: The Wildlife Management Advisory Council's role is to advise appropriate Ministers on all matters relating to wildlife policy, and the management, regulation, research, enforcement and administration of wildlife, habitat and harvesting for the Inuvialuit Settlement Area. The Council is responsible for preparing conservation and management plans, and to determine and recommend harvest quotas.

Authority: Inuvialuit Final Agreement

Appointed by: Inuvialuit, Government of the Northwest Territories and Government of Canada.

Reports to: Inuvialuit, Government of the Northwest Territories and Government of Canada.

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